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Santa Cruz Archers Newsletter June 2010

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June Calendar

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Meeting Stump
 Indoor Outdoor
 Special

Calendar Notes: Special shoots:
 June 5th Stickbow in the Redwoods
 June 6th 3D in the Redwoods
 June 19th Redwood Coast 3D

News Letter Contributions (ed.)

Please write about your archery experiences, send them to us, and we will include them in the newsletter. When you attend attending shoots at other clubs, are involved in tournaments or other archery related activities, your accounts of the events will be of interest to other club members. The deadline is the end of the day, the Saturday before the club meeting. Send them to our editor or to sarchers@comcast.net.

President's message (Henry Bertram)

'Stickbow in the Redwoods' and '3D in the Redwoods' are upon us. We need help to run the shoot. If you can help out on either day, in addition, there's additional weed whacking to be done before the shoots, call Henry if you can work the shoot or help with the weed whacking.

The work party on May 29 was not well attended. Andy Sterbenz and Henry weed whacked the practice

range, parking lot and the road between the parking lot and the indoor range. Henry weed whacked the area in front of the indoor range the previous weekend.

Cindee Damron thoroughly swept the indoor range and Neil Splain, detained by a parade, came later to weed whack part of the range starting at target 2. Cliff Lindsey shored up the bridge on target 27 that had been broken during one of the Redwood Coast 3Ds

Monday, May 31, Dan Waldon and I shot part of the second half (15 through 28) and replaced all the targets that were showing telltale signs of wear, abuse and perhaps even age. We collected all the used targets and returned them to the indoor range for disposal then grabbed the banding tools and headed back up the hill to replace the bands on 24.

LeRoy Burke was installing his fabulous signs on the second half when we left.

Mosquito & Tick Control (Henry Bertram)

I contacted Santa Cruz County Mosquito and Vector Control and asked them to address the obvious problem we have with standing water in the stream "running" through the range.

Melanie Benedetti, Vector Control Specialist from that office, called me and told me that she comes to the range approximately monthly and introduces a chemical that prevents the mosquito larvae from maturing into mosquitoes. I also asked about tick control and she said she that there were signs detailing measures to avoid ticks. Melanie said that she intended to visit again and did so last week. Here is her response:

"I just wanted to let you know that I went to the Range yesterday, May 26th. I posted the tick sign on the animal shed, as you suggested. I also found quite a bit of mosquito breeding activity in the creek running down through the course so I treated them as I went.

"The treatments I used vary in their staying-power from 2 weeks, used where I thought the water was running and the treatment wouldn't last long, to a month long or 5 months long lasting product in pools that look like they'll be there for most of the summer.

"I'll check back in a month to see how things are going. I also treated the water that is pooling above the new erosion control construction on the exit road."

"It looks like your club as been really busy out on the course, quite a bit of trail clearing, cleaning and cutting up the fallen trees out there.

"Take care, Melanie."

Thanks Melanie!

Indoor Shoots (Henry Bertram)

| 5/7/2010 | Style | Score | X |
|------------------|------------|-------|----|
| Anders Ohlsson | BHFS/A/M | 286 | 24 |
| Sergey Gorbatov* | BHFS/A/M | 273 | 17 |
| Henry Bertram | Trad-R/A/M | 180 | 1 |
| Niklas Ohlsson | BHFS/c/M | DNF | 0 |
| Lucas Ohlsson | Trad-R/p/M | DNF | 0 |
| Ken Gardner | FS/A/M | 296 | 34 |
| Kay Gardner | FS/A/F | 278 | 20 |

Sergey was shooting his first indoor round with a five spot target; it takes a bit of experience to figure it out.

| 5/21/2010 | Style | Score | X |
|-----------------|------------|-------|----|
| Bob Buie | BHFS/A/M | 246 | 17 |
| Ian Buie | BHFS/y/M | DNF | 0 |
| Larry Yien | Trad-R/A/M | 211 | 4 |
| Henry Bertram | Trad-R/A/M | 210 | 2 |
| Mark Woodhead | Trad-R/A/M | 223 | 10 |
| Sergey Gorbatov | BHFS/A/M | 278 | 14 |

Henry didn't get around to fabricating another bizarre novelty so we shot the NFAA 300 indoor round on the 21st. Ian Buie finished up shooting one of the club recurves, Another fledgling saved from the dark side!

New Range Map (Henry Bertram)

The range map was updated to reflect recent changes. Please down-load a new copy from the web site:

